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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[Docket No. CPSC-2011-0019]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Safety Standard for Portable Bed Rails

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC or Commission) requests comments on a proposed extension of approval of a collection of information under the safety standard for portable bed rails, approved previously under OMB Control No. 3041-0149. The Commission will consider all comments received in response to this notice before requesting an extension of this collection of information from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

DATES: Submit written or electronic comments on the collection of information by [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CPSC-2011-0019, by any of the following methods:

at: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments. The

Commission does not accept comments submitted by electronic mail (e-mail), except through

www.regulations.gov. The Commission encourages you to submit electronic comments by using the Federal eRulemaking Portal, as described above.

Written Submissions: Submit written submissions by mail/hand delivery/courier to:

Office of the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Room 820, 4330 East West

Highway, Bethesda, MD 20814; telephone (301) 504-7923.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number

for this notice. All comments received may be posted without change, including any personal

identifiers, contact information, or other personal information provided, to:

http://www.regulations.gov. Do not submit confidential business information, trade secret

information, or other sensitive or protected information that you do not want to be available to

the public. If furnished at all, such information should be submitted in writing.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received,

go to: http://www.regulations.gov, and insert the docket number CPSC-2011-0019, into the

"Search" box, and follow the prompts.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert H. Squibb, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda,

MD 20814; (301) 504-7815, or by e-mail to: <u>rsquibb@cpsc.gov</u>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CPSC seeks to renew the following currently

approved collection of information:

Title: Safety Standard for Portable Bed Rails

OMB Number: 3041-0149

Type of Review: Renewal of collection

Frequency of Response: On occasion

Affected Public: Manufacturers and importers of portable bed rails

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Estimated Number of Respondents: 17 firms supplying portable bed rails to the United States Market have been identified with an estimated 2 models/firm annually

Estimated Time per Response: 1 hour/model associated with marking, labeling, and instructional requirements

Total Estimated Annual Burden: 34 hours (17 firms x 2 models x 1 hour)

General Description of Collection: The Commission issued a safety standard for portable bed rails (16 CFR part 1224) on February 29, 2012 (77 FR 12182). The standard is intended to address hazards to children from use of portable bed rails. Among other requirements, the standard requires manufacturers, including importers, to meet the collection of information requirements for marking, labeling, and instructional literature for portable bed rails.

Request for Comments

The Commission solicits written comments from all interested persons about the proposed collection of information. The Commission specifically solicits information relevant to the following topics:

- Whether the collection of information described above is necessary for the proper performance of the Commission's functions, including whether the information would have practical utility;
- Whether the estimated burden of the proposed collection of information is accurate;
- Whether the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected could be enhanced; and

Whether the burden imposed by the collection of information could be minimized by use of automated, electronic or other technological collection techniques, or

other forms of information technology.

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Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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